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For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR EFFICIENT SHARING OF A DMA RESOURCE

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Enclosed are also:

- ☒ 22 Pages of Specification including an Abstract
- ☒ 5 Pages of Claims ( Claims 1 - 18 )
- ☒ 4 Sheet(s) of formal drawings
- ☒ A Declaration and Power of Attorney
- ☒ Form PTO 1595 and assignment of the invention to IBM Corporation
- ☒ Information Disclosure Statement
- ☒ Form PTO 1449 and Reference AM

## CLAIMS AS FILED

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